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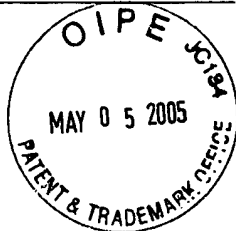
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Maria Larsson

Application No.: 10/509654

Filed: September 29, 2004

For: PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF 2-
ETHOXY-3-[4-(2-
{METHANESULPHONYLOXYPHENYL}
ETHOXY)PHENIL] PROPANOIC ACID



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SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

MS Missing Parts
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Dear Sir:

Supplementary to the Preliminary Amendment that was filed on September 29, 2004,
kindly amend the above-identified application prior to substantive examination as follows:

Amendments to the title begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.

In the Title:

Please amend the title from "NEW COMPOUNDS" to read as follows:

--PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF 2-ETHOXY-3-[4-(2-{METHANESULPHONYLOXYPHENYL}ETHOXY)PHENIL] PROPANOIC ACID--.